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Dear Colonel Philip: Sir,

Attached please find three items from Earth-German newspapers referring to the brother. Significance might be attached to the fact that the public prosecutor behaved as he did. He, in his turn is interested in defending the Reentsma (tobacco firm) family, I suppose on account of the money. Father to our man is high grade freemason, and it was already expected that something of these connections would show up and affect the course of the trial.

I do not know how far our man is aware of these attached facts. They may influence him, if they hit him unexpectedly. At present his not being in Germany is the best thing that could have happened. He cannot help here.

We are having the most wonderful autumn. I do so hope you will still see some of it when you arrive.

*Yours
Pete.*

*John Arkin H. Stone
to mail this for me.*

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